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15TH AF (FOR DI), SAC (FOR DIM, GOLDEN TREE, DOCR, DM 4) 2D AF
(FOR DI). FROM NATIONAL PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION CENTER.

1. CAMERA B 7 WAS USED IN MISSION 3789 FLOWN ON 9 DECEMBER
1963; PROCESSING WAS ACCOMPLISHED BY BARKSDALE.

2. ORIGINAL NEGATIVE:

A. THE EXPOSURE IS ADEQUATE AND THE RESOLUTION IS GOOD.

B. 9R SIDE: MINOR STATIC TRACES, INDUCED BY PRESSURE
ROLLER CHATTER, ARE PRESENT ALONG THE INBOARD EDGE OF FRAMES
0000-0299. THESE FRAMES ALSO CONTAIN BARELY PERCEPTIBLE MINUS-
DENSITY DOTS, LOCATED APPROXIMATELY 5.0" FROM THE INBOARD EDGE
OF THE FILM AND SPACED APPROXIMATELY 1.50" APART. MANUFACTURER'S
SPLICES ARE PRESENT WITHIN THE FORMATS OF FRAMES 0134 AND 1237,
WITH ASSOCIATED CREASES EXTENDING THROUGH FRAMES 0134-0138 AND
1237-1239, RESPECTIVELY. FRAMES 0261, 0262, 0392 AND 0550-0552
CONTAIN BLISTERS. AN EXCESSIVE NUMBER OF PINHOLES ARE ALSO PRESENT
IN FRAMES 0468 AND 0523 AND AN EMULSION LIFT IS PRESENT IN FRAME
1246. THE TITLE IS SEVERELY SMEARED IN FRAME 1500. FRAME 2048

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CONTAINS A PLUS-DENSITY STREAK, APPROXIMATELY 10.0" LONG. A DENSITY GRADIENT IS NOTED IN FRAME 2185, AND A BAR-SHAPED LIGHT LEAK IS PRESENT IN FRAME 2188.

C. 9L SIDE: ROLLER-INDUCED STATIC TRACES, SIMILAR TO THOSE NOTED ON THE 9R SIDE, ARE PRESENT ALONG THE INBOARD EDGE OF FRAMES 0000-0250. INBOARD EDGE STATIC IS ALSO PRESENT THROUGHOUT THOSE FRAMES. FRAMES 0165, 0170 AND 0264 CONTAIN A CRESCENT-SHAPED FOG PATCH, LOCATED APPROXIMATELY 3.10" FROM THE INBOARD EDGE OF THE FILM. THESE FOG PATCHES ARE RANDOMLY POSITIONED WITH REFERENCE TO THE SUPPLY AND TAKE-UP ENDS OF THE FORMATS. EXCESSIVE BLISTERS ARE NOTED IN FRAME 0368. A MINOR CREASE IS PRESENT IN FRAME 0513. SEVERAL EMULSION DIGS ARE LOCATED ON THE INBOARD EDGE OF FRAMES 1213. A SMALL TEAR IS ASSOCIATED WITH A HEAT SPLICE BETWEEN FRAMES 1223 AND 1224. FRAMES 1212 CONTAINS A SMALL TEAR, REPAIRED AT THE PROCESSING SITE, ON THE INBOARD EDGE.

D. BOTH SIDES: MINOR PROCESSING STREAKS ARE PRESENT THROUGHOUT. THERE ARE 2189 TITLED EXPOSURES PER SIDE.

3. DUPLICATE POSITIVE:

- A. THE PI SUITABILITY IS RATED GOOD.
- B. PRINTING AND PROCESSING OF THE POSITIVES ARE GOOD.
- C. CLOUD COVER OBSCURES APPROXIMATELY 25 PER CENT OF THE PHOTOGRAPHY. SCP-1.

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